

P19212.A01

#2A
9/19/00
AW.

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Nobuhiro TANI

Appl. No. : 09/589,064

Filed : June 8, 2000

For : THREE DIMENSIONAL IMAGE CAPTURING DEVICE



Group Art Unit: 2712

Examiner:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

RECEIVED
SEP 15 2000
TECH CENTER 2700

Prior to the calculation of the filing fee and examination of the above-identified patent application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the claims as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 10, line 1, replace "claim 1" with ---claim 2---.

REMARKS

The Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the foregoing amendment prior to examination and calculation of the filing fees in the above-identified patent application.